

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows.

1. (Cancelled)
2. (Currently Amended) A printer connected to a network, comprising:
 - a memory for storing a program and/or data;
 - a processor for executing the program; and
 - a print engine for executing printing on a print record medium,wherein according to the program, the processor:
 - receives from a client computer a new print job print request, wherein the new print job directs a print engine to acquire data to print from a peripheral device, wherein the new print job is submitted using a print acceptance screen including a request to a peripheral device to acquire print data; and
 - sends the ~~acquisition~~ new print request job to the ~~print engine peripheral~~; and,
 - wherein the print engine, upon receiving the new print job, directs the peripheral device to acquire the data, and wherein the peripheral device sends the acquired data to the print engine for printing.~~causes the print engine to print on the basis of the print data sent from the peripheral device in response to the acquisition request,~~
~~wherein according to the program and in response to a given transfer request sent from the computer, the processor sends page data, which composes a print acceptance screen for sending the print request, to the computer.~~
3. (Previously Presented) A printer according to claim 2, wherein the acquisition request includes a specified condition for the peripheral device to acquire the print data.
4. (Currently Amended) A printer connected to a network, comprising:
 - ~~print request job~~ acceptance means of accepting a new print request job sent from a client computer, wherein the new print request job including directs a print engine to acquire data to print from a peripheral device, wherein the new print job is submitted using a print acceptance screen ~~a request to a peripheral device to acquire print data;~~

acquisition request means of sending the ~~acquisition request~~ new print job to the peripheral device on the basis of the new print job ~~print request~~ accepted by the ~~print request job~~ acceptance means;

print data acceptance means of accepting the print data sent from the peripheral device in response to the ~~acquisition request~~ new print job sent by the acquisition request means; and

print means of performing printing on the basis of the print data accepted by the print data acceptance means;

~~wherein the printer further comprises page data sending means of sending page data, which composes a print acceptance screen to send the print request, to the computer in response to a given transfer request sent from the computer.~~

5. (Cancelled)

6. (Currently Amended) A method for controlling a printer connected to a network, comprising the steps of:

receiving a new print job request from a client computer, wherein the new print job directs a print engine to acquire data to print from a peripheral device, wherein the new print job is submitted using a print acceptance screen ~~the print request including a request to a peripheral device to acquire print data;~~

sending the new print job to the print engine, wherein the print engine, upon receiving the new print job, directs the peripheral device to acquire the data, and wherein the peripheral device sends the acquired data to the print engine ~~acquisition request to the peripheral device;~~ and

printing on the basis of the ~~print~~ acquired data sent from the peripheral device ~~in response to the acquisition request,~~

~~wherein the printer comprises page data sending means of sending page data, which composes a print acceptance screen, to send the print request, to the computer in response to a given transfer request sent from the computer.~~

7. (Currently Amended) A program product stored thereon for causing a control unit of a printer to perform given functions, the product comprising:

a new print job request acceptance function to accept a new print job request from a client computer, wherein the new print job request including a request to directs a peripheral device to acquire print data, and wherein the new print job is submitted by the client computer using a print acceptance screen;

an acquisition request function to send the new print job request to ~~acquire the print data~~ to the peripheral device on the basis of the new print job request accepted by the new print job request acceptance means function, wherein the peripheral device acquires print data in response to receiving the new print job;

a print data acceptance function to accept the print data sent from the peripheral device in response to the new print job acquisition request sent by the acquisition request function; and

a print function to cause a print engine to perform printing on the basis of the print data accepted by the print data acceptance function, wherein the peripheral device sends the acquired data to the print engine for printing

~~wherein the printer comprises page data sending means of sending page data, which composes a print acceptance screen to send the print request, to the computer in response to a given transfer request sent from the computer.~~

8. (Currently Amended) A print system comprising a printer, a client computer and a peripheral device,

wherein the printer receives a new print job request sent from the client computer, wherein the new print job directs a print engine to acquire data to print from a peripheral device, wherein the new print job is submitted using a print acceptance screen the print request including a request to the peripheral device to acquire print data, and sends the acquisition request to the peripheral device,

wherein the print engine, upon receiving the new print job, directs the peripheral device to acquire the data, and wherein the peripheral device sends the acquired data to the print engine for printing

~~wherein the peripheral device acquires the print data in response to the acquisition request and sends the acquired print data to the printer, and~~

~~wherein the printer performs printing on the basis of the print data sent from the peripheral data,~~

~~wherein the printer comprises page data sending means of sending page data, which composes a print acceptance screen to send the print request, to the computer in response to a given transfer request sent from the computer.~~

9. (Currently Amended) A printer connected to a network, comprising:

a memory for storing a program and/or data;

a processor for executing the program; and

a print engine for executing printing on a print record medium,

wherein according to the program, the processor:

sends page data, which composes a print acceptance screen for a client computer to request a new print job~~the printing of print data~~, to the client computer in response to a given transfer request from the client computer, wherein the new print job directs the print engine to acquire data to print from a peripheral device, and wherein the print engine, upon receiving the new print job, directs the peripheral device to acquire the data;

receives the print data that a peripheral device acquires in response to receiving the new print job from the print engine ~~and sends in response to a print request as the computer sends the print request to the peripheral device, the print request including a request to acquire the print data on the basis of the print acceptance screen;~~ and

causes the print engine to print on the basis of the received print data.

10. (Currently Amended) A print system comprising a printer, a client computer and a peripheral device,

wherein in response to a given transfer request from the client computer, the printer sends page data to the client computer, the page data composing a print acceptance screen for the client computer to request the printing of print data,

wherein the client computer displays the print acceptance screen on the basis of the page data sent from the printer, and sends a new print job ~~print request~~, including a request to acquire the print data, to the printer, wherein the printer, upon receiving the new print job, directs the peripheral device to acquire the data ~~peripheral~~

~~device~~—on the basis of given information inputted to the displayed print acceptance screen,
wherein the peripheral device acquires the print data in response to the new print job acquisition request ~~included in the print request~~ and sends the acquired print data to the printer indicated in the new print job ~~print request~~, and
wherein the printer performs printing on the basis of the acquired print data sent from the peripheral device ~~data~~.

11. - 12. (Cancelled)